Environmental awareness and action leads to award recognition

Detroit Arsenal earns "Clean Corporate Citizen" award



Amy Butler, chief of the Environmental Science and Services Division of Michigan's Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) presented Lt. Col. Kevin Austin the "Clean Corporate Citizen" award November 8.

"On behalf of Gov. Granholm, I want to present you with this award for implementing environmental system requirements, for your good compliance

record and for the goals you are achieving," she told Austin.

Butler thanked Florence Trevino, Terri Tighe and the entire team for their vision and leadership regarding the day-to-day operations.

Austin thanked the audience for attending and the environmental team for all their work. "This is truly a Garrison LCMC award," he said.

He also said that they had well above 40 percent in energy savings with the upgraded lighting and steam outlets. "We initiated a mass transit program with 21 vans, saving at least \$17,000 each month. We took out asbestos, we have an environmental hygienist on board and we have a great education program for these issues," Austin stressed. "This entire team has done an outstanding job." The guests stayed for refreshments after the ceremony.



(Pictured left to right is Amy Butler MDEQ, Terry Tighe DPW, Joe Krawciw TARDEC, Printes Parker DPW, Richard Moore DPW, Greg Miller DPW, Gary Voss DPW, Florence Trevino DPW, and Garrison Commander, Lt. Col. Kevin Austin.)